

## ACTIVITIES OF UNESCO FIELD OFFICES

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- Survey of Sumatran Orangutan (*Pongo abelii*) in Gunung Leuser National Park, component of the Tropical Rainforest Heritage of Sumatra and Biosphere Reserve
- Monitoring system from LIPI (BMU project)
- [Adaptive and carbon-financed forest management in the Tropical Rainforest Heritage of Sumatra](#) The German Ministry of the Environment is supporting a project entitled "Adaptive and Carbon financed forest management in the Tropical Rainforest Heritage of Sumatra", implemented through the Science Sector in the UNESCO Jakarta Office. In addition to these projects, the World Heritage Centre has assembled seed funding to produce climate change vulnerability assessments for managers and to implement a site-based pilot project for REDD+ recognized activities.
- [Tropical Rainforest Heritage of Sumatra](#) through Rehabilitation of management facilities of the Gunung Leuser National Park; improving the legal, scientific, social as well as economic basis for the efficient conservation and restoration of the Gunung Leuser National Park, Promoting conservation to halt degradation and improve the management of Gunung Leuser National Park.
- [Biosphere Reserve for Environment and Economic Security \(BREES \)](#) a long term regional climate change and poverty alleviation program that will work with communities, micro-finance institutions, educational institutions, government, and donor agencies to use biosphere reserves as learning centers for environmental and human adaptability to climate change effects.
- [Cultural Tourism for Sustainable Development in Nias Island, Indonesia](#) The objective of this project was to develop a planning framework for sustainable, long term livelihood enhancement for the people of South Nias, based on the conservation, development and presentation of their cultural heritage resources.
- [Heritage Tourism in East Nusa Tenggara: Contributing to the Millennium Development Goals](#) aims at promoting heritage tourism as a platform for sustainable development of the region by carrying out an in-depth study of potential and challenges of tourism sector and improving awareness on the role of sustainable tourism.
- [Establish and develop a supportive environment for sustainable ecotourism development in Gunung Leuser National Park, Sumatra, Indonesia](#)

- Promote the conservation and sustainable use of the natural resources in Siberut Biosphere Reserve in the context of societal change while respecting the cultural values of the indigenous communities, through flagship projects: Siberut Biosphere Reserve – [“Saving Siberut and its unique cultural and natural heritage; “Empowerment of customary environmental management in Siberut Biosphere Reserve” to strengthen participation of indigenous communities in sustaining natural resources management in Siberut Biosphere Reserve.](#)
- Improve the public awareness of and support for the Gunung Leuser National Park through a World Heritage Campaign, Indonesia